FISCAL MEMORANDUM HB 546 – SB 809

May 14, 2007

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (005713): Creates an inference in a child support proceeding that an obligor has the ability to pay the ordered amount from a previous order until the obligor files an application with the court to modify the ordered amount.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Other Fiscal Impact - Increase Federal Expenditures - Not Significant

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions applied to amendment:

- There will not be a significant increase to the operating cost of the Child Support Enforcement program. Any increase will be absorbed within the existing resources of the Department of Human Services.
- The Child Support Enforcement program is funded through both state (34%) and federal (66%) funds.
- There will be an impact in child support collections which will not have a fiscal impact on the expenditures or revenues of the Department of Human Services.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Jam W. White

James W. White, Executive Director

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